

LAST TOUGH ON THE FAIR

Nothing to do Now but
Open It

An Outline of the Program for the
Week and a Description of the At-
tractions.

The fair opens this morning and under the most favorable conditions. The final touches were put on the grounds, buildings, etc., yesterday, except such little things as can be attended to only after the emergencies arise and suggest the remedy. All is as near in readiness as any big show ever can be and there is no lack of enthusiasm. The weather is perfect, or was last night and has been for several days, so there is no longer any worry on that score. Two thousand visitors came to town yesterday and it is expected there will be more today.

The one thing to impress now above all others is promptness. There will be lots to do every day and those who want to see everything must be on the grounds early for as much as possible will take place in the forenoon while the racing programs are designed to begin promptly at 1 o'clock. They must be run on time in order to finish each day's program as scheduled. Today's special events are listed on the front page, briefly and details of the races can be learned from the programs and score cards.

Probably the free show that will attract the most attention today will be that of Dr. Jones the hypnotist, who will give a short lecture on the subject and at the close will hypnotize a subject who travels with him for that purpose, bury him six feet deep in the ground and leave him there until Saturday when he will be resurrected in the presence of the fair visitors. A device is provided whereby the visitors may look into the grave and see the face of the sleeper, satisfying them-

selves that there is no fake about the performance. There will of course be a pipe for the circulation of air through the box in which the sleeper reclines.

There will be two free shows in front of the grand stand during the races, one being a slide for life, provided by the carnival company and the other the exhibition shooting of Miss Nellie Smith, the California champion. The races and the names of the horses that will participate are in the front page program.

One of the Tuesday events will be the military tournament which will be participated in by three companies of the National Guard of Arizona and three companies of cadets. There will be a review of the entire regiment by Governor Kibbey, guard mount, gaiting gun drill by a squad of company C and other evolutions. Colonel McClintock will command the regiment, Major Lamson of the National Guard will be in command of the guardsmen and Captain Irish of the Tempe Normal will be in command of the cadets.

But this morning the first great attraction will be the live stock parade when all live stock on exhibition will pass before the grand stand, the big procession starting at 10 o'clock. It is sincerely hoped that the crowd will assemble early today and that all the exhibitors will be on hand promptly.

This afternoon the races are called for 1 o'clock though a few minutes will be devoted to the official opening of the fair by Governor Kibbey and J. C. Adams, president of the association. Those who desire to see the racing should eat their Christmas dinner very early or very late so they can be on hand when the going sounds.

"The Hassayamp" will open for business at nine o'clock this morning and remain open without intermission until ten o'clock at night. In all there are probably over twenty-five places of amusement on the street which with all of their spicery calling and ticket sellers crying out the merits of their particular attraction will make the street all that was planned of it. If the present plan is carried out there will be free acts on The Hassayamp at intervals of an hour each day during the fair. Most of the attractions are under individual management but nine of the shows are owned and will be managed by Penn and Meyer, owners of the Monarch Show company.

Their principal attraction is the stadium in which three shows will be given daily, one in the morning, a sec-

ond in the afternoon and a third at night. In the Stadium, jay jugglers, French magicians, a troupe of high wire and mid air trapeze performers, head balancer and a trained animal exhibition will entertain the visitors. It is also in the Stadium that a loop the loop feature will be given. The rider of the bicycle will be Diavolo who has appeared in Phoenix before but the loop is of a new construction, a cork screw made of a platform some eight feet in width. Those who have seen the act given under the new conditions say it is more interesting and dangerous to the rider of the wheel than any similar stunt of the like attempted.

Of the attractions new to Phoenix will be the baby incubator show where an invention of modern times in full operation will be shown and explained. Madam Liljens is the principal feature of a show bearing her name. In a mammoth tank of water this lady gives exhibitions of fancy trick swimming and diving. The deep sea diving exhibition is one of the features of the street. Creation is a show of interest and is a Persian mystery which is entertaining.

Peggy from Paris is a small theater where the principal actor does an electrical dance. The Countess "400" with twenty negro voices will attract many. A large number of new moving pictures will be shown in the Electric theater. A Ferris wheel is on the street and was yesterday put in place.

In addition to the numerous shows there are the knife racks, the cane racks, the confetti vendors and the men who sell the serpentine rolls, the ruby glass carvers, the feather flower stands and a kysle fortune telling camp all of them will be there.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES — Christmas services will today be conducted at the Trinity Episcopal church as follows: Christmas day holy communion at 9:30 a. m. and sermon at 10 a. m. The offertory solo, "Glory to God" (Routin) will be sung by Paul Renau Ingles.

Auction pools for races for following day sold at Casino every night this week commencing at 7 o'clock.

GHASTLY FRAGMENTS OF HUMAN SKELETON

Find by a P. & E. Track Walker East
of Mesa.

A telegram was received by Sheriff Walker from General Superintendent Drake of the S. F. P. & P. Saturday night saying that the track walker had reported the dead body of a man lying near the Phoenix and Eastern railroad track about nine miles east of Mesa City. Mr. Walker reported the information to the coroner and yesterday morning the dead wagon of Merryman & Moore was sent after the body.

It returned last evening with all that was left of a man who had been dead at least several months if not longer, and that "all" consisted of a skull, three vertebrae, one foot in a shoe and a hat. It was feared by the drivers that perhaps they had not found the right "remains" for there was so little of it it was hardly thought a track walker could see it and report it. So they searched carefully for a distance of a mile or so in each direction but this was the only skeleton that could be found.

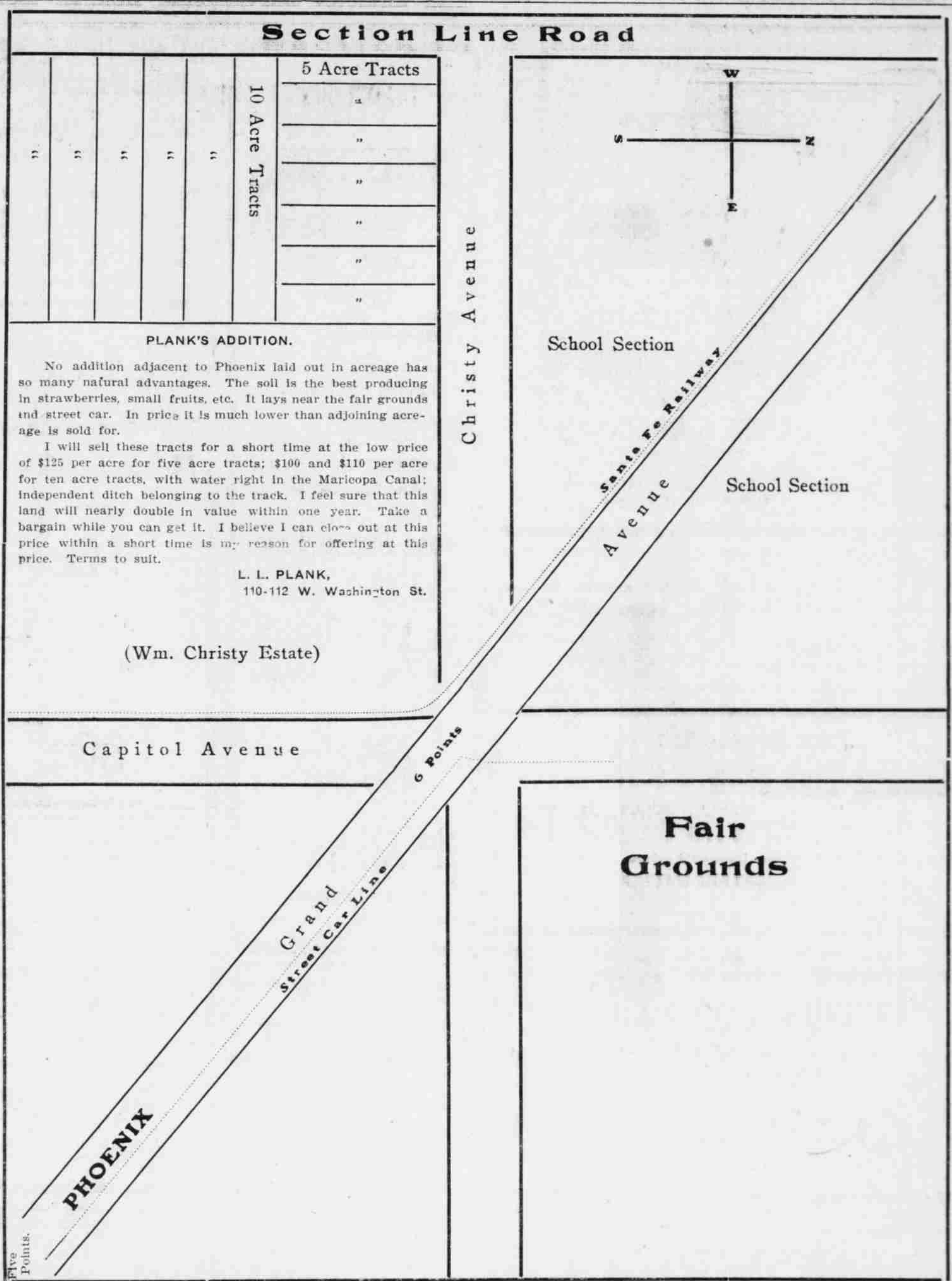
But there are sufficient facts for at least a "negative" identification in the event any person whose description is known, has disappeared in those parts. The skull has evidently been most of the time lying straight up, or as it would be on a shelf, for the jaws are missing and the bones of the lower side of it are very badly decayed, while over the crown a goodly portion of the desiccated scalp remains, and which there is still a considerable quantity of hair attached. The hair is undoubtedly that of a white man and is of a reddish color, light and silky.

The hat, which was some distance away, was originally of a Fedora block and a very good hat. It is bound with white silk and white silk band and has two little ventilator eyelets on each side. That it was the hat owned by the same man who furnished the skull is evident from the fact that some of the hair remains attached to the brim as though the skull and hat had lain together for a long time. The skull and hat were found about a hundred yards north of the track. About the same distance south of the track, was found the shoe containing the foot which had been separated from the skeleton. The shoe, the hat and the shoe, the shoe being laced up and tied in a bow knot. It is a sewed shoe and was evidently a very good one when new and was not badly worn, the heel being worn away a little bit behind.

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"Did you name the baby after his father?"

"No, we named him after a prolonged scrap in which the whole family engaged."—Cleveland Leader.



PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. P. Dillon was expected to reach Phoenix today from Prescott and spend the week here with Mr. Dillon seeing the sights of the fair. Mr. Dillon has been spending some time in the city receiving medical treatment for one of his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bates of Prescott are fair visitors. They are guests of the Commercial.

Roland Mosher, county recorder of Yavapai county, accompanied by his wife, arrived in the city yesterday and will visit friends for several days.

Captain Tom Rynning of the Arizona Rangers, will arrive in the city today and spend several days visiting the fair.

E. S. Miller of Flagstaff, a prominent resident of Coconino county, is in the city, a guest of the Commercial.

M. H. Page, L. C. Page, A. B. Bachich and Joseph Ryan of Bisbee, were among the passengers who arrived on yesterday afternoon's special from Douglas and Bisbee.

J. W. Mendor and Dan McNeill of Wickenburg, are visitors in Phoenix. There were yesterday registered as guests of the Commercial hotel: G. T. Peter, Globe; Paul Johnson, Jerryman, Pa.; C. W. French, Florence; Sam Bone, Troy; Thomas Stratton, Yuma; C. W. Yackell, Prescott; Chas. Evans and wife, Kirkland; W. H. Clark and wife, Prescott; and Chas. Daze and Geo. C. Mills, Winslow.

Clay McGonigle, J. Conney and E. P. Revers of Flagstaff, were among the passengers on yesterday afternoon's special train from the north.

The Misses Cheney of Tucson, are expected to arrive in the city this morning for a visit of several days with friends.

D. Laid, proprietor of the New Bank hotel at Benson, is in the city to spend the week visiting the fair and his numerous friends.

Mrs. Chas. Seaman of Douglas, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and will spend the week visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Campbell of north Fourth avenue. Mr. Seaman is expected to arrive the latter part of the week. The Seamans will be well remembered here, Mr. Seaman having made this city his home, at the time in the employment of the Talbot Hubbard company.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy, Myrtle Drachman and Lucile Drachman arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and will visit here for the week. Miss Murphy will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Goldberg, Miss Myrtle Drachman of Miss Lucile Drachman of Miss Sallie Jacobs.

Ed Stafford of Wooley, is in the city and will spend the week here. He is assistant superintendent of the Arizona Pacific Copper company, operating in Pinal county.

Chas. Dorsey, an engineer on the Santa Fe road, running out of Winslow is in the city for the purpose of attending the fair.

Barney Starr, a prominent cattleman who has a ranch near Winslow, is in the city, a guest of the Commercial.

A. P. Fulcher, traveling auditor of the Santa Fe, is in the city on an official visit. Mr. Fulcher is spending the winter in Los Angeles at the Hollenbeck.

Fred Ronstadt, a prominent merchant at Tucson, and the head of the firm bearing his name, is in the city to attend the fair. Mr. Ronstadt's company has a good exhibit on the fair grounds, and he himself, will be in charge of the same. He is a guest of the Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Docker and Miss Vesta Docker, of Jerome, arrived in the city yesterday morning and will spend the week visiting Mr. Ted Docker, who is associated with the A. H. & V. Co.

Mrs. Revare, mother of Frederick Revare of the Arizona School of Music, faculty, arrived in the city yesterday morning and will spend several days here visiting her son.

John Wilson of the Phoenix National bank, is visiting friends in Prescott during the holidays.

Dr. Gonzales, a prominent dentist of Bisbee, arrived in the city yesterday morning and will spend the week visiting the sights at the fair. For the purpose of visiting him here, his mother, Mrs. Major Watts, of Prescott, arrived on the special from the north yesterday afternoon. Major Watts is also in the city. He is a clerk of the district court of Yavapai county.

Dr. John A. Lentz left yesterday morning for Cherry Creek, where he will visit friends during the holidays.

Among the outgoing passengers on yesterday afternoon's train for the north over the S. F. P. & P. were: John Day for Prescott; A. M. Newhouse, for Chicago; D. McSvegan for Colorado Springs, and K. P. Tone for Congress.

Several students from the territorial normal at Tempe and the university at Tucson passed through the city yesterday en route to their homes in the north. Among others were J. W. Gebb and J. C. White from Tucson to Jerome; J. J. Williams for Congress and Robert Wisman for Prescott; and Roy Kilgore for Williams.

Dr. John Adams and wife of Flagstaff, are in the city visiting friends for the week and attending the fair.

J. C. Acker and family of Prescott, are in the city, guests of the Ford.

Ethel Madden and Fern Robinson of Prescott, are in the city visiting friends.

There were yesterday registered as guests of the Ford: S. G. McGrade, Castle Creek; Margaret Ethel Heanny, Dayton, Ohio; D. E. Huntsinger, Los Angeles; R. N. Montier, Prescott; Mrs. B. Davis, Salt Lake; A. May Sharp, St. Joseph; G. W. Henry and wife, Jerome; C. Beaumont, Mesa; and Miss Jean Blanchard, and Mr. and Mrs. Maj. Watts, Prescott.

Lewis Ford and family of Pittsburg, are in the city yesterday and are guests of the Ford. Mr. Ford is interested in several mining projects in the territory.

Harry Henderson, sheriff of Coconino county, returned to Phoenix yesterday, and will spend the week here.

W. M. Breckenridge, county fair commissioner of Pima county arrived in the city yesterday morning and is a guest of the Hotel Adams. He says Pima county will send a large number of visitors to the city during the week.

Mrs. J. G. Durkee of Kenosha, Wis., returned to this city yesterday morning and will spend the winter here.

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ARIZONA TESTIMONY.

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